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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Prior Application:

Serial No.: 98/529,552 Examiner: Lanna Mai

Art Unit: 3504

Box Patent Applications Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING OF DIVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.60

This is a request for filing a:

- [] continuation application
- [X] divisional application

pursuant to 37 CFR 1.60, of pending prior application Serial No. 08/529,552, filed on September 18, 1995, of Yu Zheng for Collapsible Shade Structure.

1. [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed.

I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior application Serial No. 08/529,552, as originally filed on September 18, 1995, and that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

2. [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence:

--This is a divisional of application Serial No. 08/529,552, filed September 18, 1995, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/024,690, filed on March 1, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 5,467,794, which is a continuation-in-part of Serial No. 07/764,784, filed September 24, 1991, entitled "Collapsible Shade Structure", now U.S. Patent No. 5,301,705.--

3. [X] A check in the amount of \$375.00 for the filing fee is enclosed. This fee is calculated as follows:

	Claims Remaining		Large Entity	Small Entity
	After Amendment	Number Extra	Rate Fee Rate	<u>Fee</u>
Basic Fee			\$	\$375
Total Claims	14 - 20	= 0 x	\$22 = x \$11 =	. 0
Indep. Claims	3 - 3	= 0 x	\$78 = <u>x</u> \$39 =	0
Multiple	Dependent	Claims +	\$250 = + \$125=	
			TOTAL = \$	\$375.00

- 4. [X] Cancel in this application original claims 2-15 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- 5. [] Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on ____ in ____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. Section 119.
- 6. [X] A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims numbered by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
- 7. [] The prior application is assigned to _____.
- 8. [X] The verified statement claiming small entity status in prior application Serial No. 08/024,690, filed on March 1, 1993, is still proper.
- 9. [X] The power of attorney appears in the original papers in prior application Serial No. 08/024,690, filed on March 1, 1993.

10. [X] Address all future communications to:

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Application of: YU ZHENG Serial No.:

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Dear Sir:

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Date of Deposit: May 1, 1996

I hereby certify that an Application for Utility Patent having 21 pages of specification and 21 sheets of informal drawings; one check in the amount of \$375; a copy of the Verified Statement filed in the prior application; a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the prior application; Transmittal Letter; Preliminary Amendment; and Postcard; are being deposited with the United States Postal Services "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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